

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (original): A grease composition for auxiliary machinery of automobile electrical component, which is characterized by containing a base oil containing an aromatic ester oil in an amount of 30 % by mass or more based on the whole amount of the base oil and a diurea compound, as a thickener, represented by the following general formula in an amount of from 5 to 35 % by mass based on the whole amount of the grease composition:

R8-NHCONH-R9-NHCONH-R10

(wherein R9 represents an aromatic hydrocarbon group having from 6 to 15 carbon atoms; and R8 and R10, which may be the same or different, each represents an aliphatic hydrocarbon group, an alicyclic hydrocarbon group, or a fused ring).

2. (original): The grease composition for auxiliary machinery of automobile electrical component according to claim 1, which is characterized in that the aromatic ester oil is a trimellitic ester oil or a pyromellitic ester oil.

3. (original): The grease composition for auxiliary machinery of automobile electrical component according to claim 2, which is characterized in that in the trimellitic ester oil and the pyromellitic ester oil, a hydrocarbon group to be derived is a hydrocarbon group having from 6 to 10 carbon atoms.

4. (currently amended): The grease composition for auxiliary machinery of automobile electrical component according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 3~~claim 1, which is characterized by containing at least one member of carbon black and carbon nano tube as a conductive powder.

5. (currently amended): The grease composition for auxiliary machinery of automobile electrical component according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 4~~claim 1, which is characterized by

containing two or more members selected from rust preventives made of a carboxylic acid or a carboxylate, ester based rust preventives, and amine based rust preventives in an amount of from 0.2 to 10 % by mass in total and from 0.1 to 9.9 % by mass singly based on the whole amount of the grease composition.

6. (currently amended): A rolling bearing, which is characterized by casing freely rollingly plural rolling elements by a cage between an inner race and an outer race and packing the grease composition for auxiliary machinery of automobile electrical component according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 5~~claim 1 therein.

7. The rolling bearing according to claim 6, which is characterized by containing a contact type rubber seal.